

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION
LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 61

Introduced by Stuhr, 24

WHEREAS, Michael A. Aunkst was a long-time resident of York County who graduated from Bradshaw High School and settled in Benedict; and

WHEREAS, Michael Aunkst, who believed in volunteer service to his community, chose to serve Benedict with enthusiastic dedication through the Volunteer Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Michael Aunkst was appreciated by his fellow firefighters for his strong support of modern firefighting training and equipment; and

WHEREAS, Michael Aunkst suffered a heart attack and died in the line of duty during a mutual-aid fire call in the Gresham area on February 27, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Nebraskans honor and deeply appreciate "first responders" who serve their many communities in times of greatest need.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature honors the memory of Michael A. Aunkst and his outstanding service to the Benedict Fire Department and to area residents.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to his wife,

Teresa, his daughter Liza, and his stepson Dustin Welch, all at home in Benedict, Nebraska.